

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY ANTANANARIVO  
INFO DIA WASHDC

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS:EWWT, CGEN, MA

SUBJECT:INFORMATION REQUESTED ON VESSEL WESTERN  
GEOPHYSICAL III  
REF: ANTANANARIVO 1058  
1. WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL III OWNED BY WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL  
COMPANY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS. IS AN OIL EXPLORATION VESSEL  
PRESENTLY ENROUTE FROM BAHRAIN TO AREA NOTED REFTEL.  
VESSEL UNDER CONTRACT TO THE GDRM FOR ABOUT 30 DAYS  
ONCE ON STATION.  
  
2. CHESTER SMITH, WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL MANAGER FOR  
SOUTHEAST ASIA AND THE MIDDLE EAST WILL BE IN ANTANANARIVO  
ON A ROUTINE TRIP AROUND JUNE 15 AND WILL VISIT U.S.  
EMBASSY (MR. SMITH) TO DISCUSS WESTERN GEOPHYSICAL III. VANCE

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